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CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. James McKelvey, Minister

Services Sunday next:

11.00 a.m., Senior and Junior School.
7.30 p.m., Public Worship, Rev. G. A. Kettley in charge.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE

Rector: Rev. W. E. Brown

Thursday: War Intercession, 7.30 p.m.

Sixth Sunday after Trinity—

Holy Communion 8 a.m.

Evening and Sermon 7.30 p.m.

At the evening service an honor roll with the names of the members of the congregation on active service will be dedicated. Come and let us do honor to those who are ready to give their lives for our freedom.

Altar Flowers—Given by Mrs. H. M. Bennett, Mrs. L. M. Freeman, Mrs. C. Campbell and Mrs. Wm. Johnston. Thanks so much. Rector.

SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Lieuts. S. Nahmyre and R. Hammond. Officers in charge.

Sunday services:

11.00 a.m., Holiness Meeting.

12.15 Noon, Sunday School.

7.30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.

Tuesday: 7.30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.

Thursday: 3 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

Funerals and dedications on application to the local officer.

BELLEVUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Evangelist: Alfred Siple

11 a.m., Sunday school.

7.30 p.m., Evangelistic service.

We preach the Victory Life of Christ, and invite you.

HILLCREST UNITED CHURCH:

Services every Sunday at 3 p.m.

BELLEVUE UNITED CHURCH:

Services at 7.30 p.m. every Sunday.

COWLEY UNITED CHURCH:

Services alternate Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock.

Rev. W. H. IRWIN, Minister.

FORMER COWLEY RESIDENT IS KILLED AT MOUNT LERMAN

James Bennett, 74, former resident of the Cowley district, was killed in an accident near Mount Lerman, BC, on Sunday last. Details of the accident are not at hand. Mr. Bennett came west from Peterboro, Ontario, in 1902, settling in the south Cowley district, where he engaged in farming. In 1905 he married Miss Anne Sexton and they had two daughters, one dying in childhood and the other, Essie, is now Mrs. Jack Cook. In 1939 Mr. and Mrs. Bennett moved to Mount Lerman, where they took up land.

The late Mr. Bennett was very well known in this district and throughout Southern Alberta.

Mrs. Cook left Cowley for the coast on Monday evening.

A GOOD MOVE

At the annual convention of Alberta Municipalities representatives the proposal was again brought up that the government should pay taxes on buildings used for commercial or profitable business undertakings. The argument was that the provincial government had acquired premises in many municipalities in which commercial projects were carried on. These, in some instances, are in competition with private institutions which are highly taxed. The view of the convention was that it was quite unfair that provincial buildings be exempt. The convention resolution was unanimously adopted.

CAPTAIN OF "TURRET CAPE" AWARDED OBE FOR RESCUES

A short while back, Captain Louis H. Dicks, of Halifax, was awarded the OBE for rescuing on two occasions the crews of torpedoed vessels, numbering 26 and 54 respectively, and for towing to safety another distressed Canadian vessel.

At the time the rescues took place, Capt. Dicks was in command of the Saguenay Tugboat motorship Turret Cape. Twenty-six passengers were rescued from the Brazilian steamship Parahyba, and fifty-four from the Alcoa Mariner. The Paterson steamship Hamildoc was the vessel towed to safety.

Town and school taxes at Didsbury have been raised 3 and 9 mills respectively for 1944.

BLAIRMORE BOY WAR VICTIM

Word was received by Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart on Wednesday that their third son, James, had been killed in action in France.

James was one of three boys of the family in the armed forces, the others being Jack and William. Other family members are brothers Andrew, Peter and Miller, of Blairmore, and sister Margaret (Mrs. Reuben Johnson, of Coleman).

James was a native of Blairmore and a product of the Blairmore schools. Just a few days prior to receiving word of his death, Mrs. Stewart was recipient of a Victory Bond from him for safe keeping.

SHOULD NOTIFY OF ADDRESS CHANGE

The director of army records, Ottawa, has sent out a special request, asking for the co-operation by the next-of-kin of Canadian soldiers serving overseas in notifying his department of changes of addresses, particularly vacation-time movements.

It is pointed out that during the summer months many Canadians leave their permanent addresses for summer homes or resorts. If no forwarding address is left, telegraph companies encounter difficulty in making delivery of casualty telegrams.

It is further pointed out that next-of-kin be requested to always mention the rank and full christian names of officers in addition to surname and the number, rank and full christian names of other ranks in addition to the surname. This facilitates matters in checking the enlistment cards of a particular name to find the name of a soldier.

CHILDREN WORK TO AID BRITISH CHILDREN

Children all across Canada are aiding the Queen's Canadian Fund in their school holidays.

The summer is the "open season" for children's plays and sales, and youthful energy and enthusiasm brings fruitful results for the Fund. This week alone, the Montreal headquarters of the Fund has received donations totalling over \$100 from groups of children who have organized sales of miscellaneous articles in aid of the Fund. These enterprises are welcome, not only on account of the money they raise, but because they are also morale-builders.

ELECTION PUT BOOSTED

The Alberta chief electoral officer announces that more than six thousand deputy returning officers and poll clerks will receive a higher fee than previously paid for their services. Deputy returning officers will be paid \$8 instead of \$6, and poll clerks \$6 instead of \$4, same as were paid in 1922.

Joseph T. Shaw, KC, well known Calgary solicitor and former provincial Liberal leader, passed away in Calgary on Wednesday, following a long illness. He was in his fifty-fifth year, and had been resident of the province since 1885, in which year he was born at Port Arthur, Ontario. He is survived by one son and one daughter, Stuart and Frances, both of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Chr's Christofferson, of Olds, Alberta, announce the engagement of their daughter Ellen to Robert Michael Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Porter, of Cowley, the marriage to take place at Olds this month.

Brig. General Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., son of President Theodore Roosevelt, died in Normandy of natural causes.

THE SOLDIERS' VOTE

Certain critics of the government have decried the fact that the present Alberta Election Act does not make provision for a vote by soldiers from Alberta stationed outside the province or serving overseas. It would have been better if these politicians had held their premature criticism until they knew the government's intentions.

At the last session the government advised that the whole question of the soldiers' vote was being carefully investigated. Our enquiries have made it quite clear that our active service men and women are not interested in mere political parties, nor concerned with the political fortunes of individual party candidates, many of whom are unknown to those absent in the forces. What they rightly are interested in is that the men and women of the armed forces should have their own representatives in our legislature to put forward the viewpoints of the servicemen and women and to safeguard their rights and interests in all matters which pertain to their welfare.

The Social Credit government is in full and complete accord with the viewpoint of the servicemen and women in this matter and accordingly we are making arrangements for the members of the active armed forces from Alberta to elect three active servicemen or women as members at large in the Alberta legislature.

It is our intention that their vote shall be completed in time to enable those selected to attend the next regular session of the house. We have already intimated that a special session may be necessary this fall to speed the implementation of the government's province-wide home building programme. If special legislation is found to be necessary to make possible the election of representatives from the armed forces, it also will be introduced at the special session.—Ernest C. Manning, Premier.

OFFICIAL FINAL RESULTS OF SIXTH VICTORY LOAN

Bellevue-Hillcrest: Objective \$76,000; applications 459; total sales \$100,650; percentage 130.

Blairmore-Frank: Objective \$88,000; applications 505; total sales \$107,400; percentage 122.

Coleman: Objective \$102,000; applications 636; total sales \$108,750; percentage 107.

Latest population figures: Bellevue 1,716, Hillcrest 853, total 2,569; Blairmore 2,019, Frank 215, total 2,234; Coleman 3,169.

CODFISH BALLS

The Fisheries Department contributes the following timely recipe for codfish balls, but any cooked flaked fish may be substituted.

One cup cod, 1½ cups mashed potatoes, one beaten egg, one tablespoon melted butter, ½ teaspoon onion juice, pepper and salt to season.

Mix the ingredients well and beat until fluffy. Form in balls or cakes and roll in finely sifted dry bread crumbs. The fish balls may be chilled until time to cook. Sauté or fry in mild-flavored fat. Drain and serve hot, with or without sauce. Serves four or five.

Frank Webster, owner of the Royal Hotel in Calgary, is now honorary chief in both the Stoney Indian tribe and the Sarcee tribe.

The former James Paden property on State Street, now owned by A. Kurrie, is being treated to a full concrete basement and other repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Morency, accompanied by their daughters, Mrs. Geo. Jenkins, of Coleman, and Mrs. Jas. Simpson, of Blairmore, are holidaying at Radium Hot Springs.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mrs. George Dwyer was a week-end visitor with relatives in Pincher Creek.

Master Brian Milvain is on a holiday visit with his mother in Calgary.

P. Rhodes, of Lundbreck, who was a patient in hospital at Pincher Creek, is making satisfactory recovery, we are glad to say.

Mrs. Lexia Smith and three young sons are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Hawkinson and family in Blairmore.

Visitors to Waterton Park on Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Nick Papp and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Feller and son Irwin, and E. F. Everitt.

Mike Yagos, Norman Porter and Sandy Porter are doing riding and roping at the Calgary stampee.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Martin and children spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Neil Washburn at Michel.

Billie Legarde took in the stampee at Calgary this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Horning and two small children, of De Winton, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Swart. Mr. and Mrs. Swart will return to De Winton with them this week end.

Olin Creek, Todd Creek and Tanner schools united in holding a picnic at the Olin Creek bridge on the North Fork on Thursday in celebration of the closing of schools for the summer holidays.

The UFA held their regular monthly meeting in the Masonic hall on Monday night with a good attendance. The laying of the main pipeline of the new Cowley water system is nearing completion.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Lemire and Dick Alexander motored to Calgary on Sunday to take in the stampee for a day or two.

WHAT'S THE WORLD COMING TO?

Old-fashioned people will be greatly disturbed to learn that the pie-baking competition at the Stampede has been won by a 13-year-old boy.

Even in this age of lad riveters and coalheavers, most of us have still clung to the delusion that cooking, and especially the making of pies, were feminine specialties. "The pie that mother used to make" have long been proverbial, but somehow we find it hard to imagine people bragging about "the pie's little brother used to make." Our hats off to the new champion. We are all ready now to hear the bronk-busting contest has been won by a girl—Calgary exchange.

SHIP LARD TO RUSSIA

Shipments of nearly ten million pounds of Canadian lard have been made to Russia since April 1st, relieving a surplus situation which had developed in the Dominion, it is learned. The supplies are being forwarded under mutual aid arrangements. Early this year, the accumulation of lard supplies had posed a major problem.

The penny-picking resort landlady had placed a placard in her dining room which read: "In these hard times we should put a bridle on our appetites." To this a vacationing wag had added: "A bit in the mouth is better."

A man who thinks he knows it all has merely stopped thinking.

Coleman Elks' annual carnival will be held this Saturday and Monday nights.

The school dentist was raised to the status of a faculty at the Alberta University on Monday.

The total tonnage of Canadian coin struck by the Royal Mint in 1943 was 1,050 tons.

MOUNT ROYAL COLLEGE PRINCIPAL TO VISIT BLAIRMORE



John H. Garden, principal of Mount Royal Junior College, Calgary, will be in Blairmore on Wednesday, July 26th, at 6 p.m. to noon Thursday, July 27th, at the Greenhill Hotel, for the purpose of meeting students and their parents who wish to consult him regarding courses at the college. Being affiliated with the University of Alberta as a junior college, Mount Royal offers young people of Southern Alberta an opportunity of taking their first year university within a reasonable distance of their homes.

In addition to being principal, Mr. Garden is squadron leader in the RCAP which makes provisions for young men to take pre-aircrew training while continuing their studies at Mount Royal. Such trainees receive a very thorough course and are equipped with air force uniforms, etc., and are paid for periods on parade and at camp.

To show its approval of higher education, the Dominion government has made provision whereby students 18 to 21, who are studying at junior colleges or universities, earn a deduction of \$108 on their parents' income tax.

First year university courses are offered, leading to the degrees of BA, BSc, BEd, BCom, LLB, BSc in engineering, as well as first year medical and dental courses.

Terminal courses are also offered for those seeking specialized training, but not wishing to take their degree. These cover journalism, medical and dental assistants and church secretaryship. The graduates from this department are in such demand from business firms that the college is unable to fill all the requests that come in.

Another course attracting much interest is that covering petroleum engineering. In co-operation with the University of Oklahoma, a special two-year course has been opened to students who have their junior matriculation.

SUCCESSFUL MUSIC PUPILS

In the list of recent passes in Royal Schools of Music examinations in this district, the following are mentioned:

BELLEVUE—Grade 6, Jacqueline Bechtel, passed with credit; grade 5, Cecilia Porochuk, pass; grade 4, Catherine Porochuk and Enid Sirett, passed with credit.

BLAIRMORE—LISM Teachers' Practical only, Frank McLafferty, violin, Grade 8, violin, Annie Drodzka, pass; grade 7, Cyrran Gurie and Gordon Roper, pass; grade 6, practical, Jerry Koran and Edward Henry Moser, pass; grade 5, John Patterson, pass with credit; Lloyd Pinkney, pass; Fraser MacPherson, Peggy MacPherson, Erasmo Pavan, passed with credit. Grade 4 piano: Kathleen Walker, pass; Shirley Ann Morgan, distinction; grade 3 violin, Stanley Kanik, pass with credit; Frances Graham, pass; grade 3 piano, Irene Mudiman, pass. Grammar of Music: Robert Dau, Fraser MacPherson, Peggy MacPherson, Audrey Pinkney and Lloyd Pinkney, passed.

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Scholarships and Bursaries Available to Qualified Students

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Three distinct courses: Secretarial, Stenographic and Business Administration. Gives efficient, practical and specialized training qualifying graduates to take full advantage of today's opportunities and those of the post-war years.

Health LEAGUE presents TOPICS of CANADA + VITAL INTEREST

NATIONAL HEALTH PLAN

Announcement by Prime Minister King that public health administration is to be under a department of health and social welfare instead of one of social welfare as recently proposed, has been greeted with satisfaction by public health officials and the medical profession generally.

Emphatic opposition to the earlier proposal was registered by the Canadian Medical Association, the Health League of Canada, the Canadian Public Health Association, and by representative public health men.

Reorganization was made necessary, at Ottawa by the Government's decision to make pensions a responsibility of a new department of veterans' affairs.

Since 1928 both pensions and national health have been handled by one department, with two branches. The original Department of National Health was founded in 1919 after 40 years of effort by leading public health men, and its institution at that time was due in a large measure to the serious venereal-disease situation at the close of the war.

In 1928, when the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment was abolished, veterans' affairs were transferred to the health department, known thenceforth as the Department of Pensions and National Health.

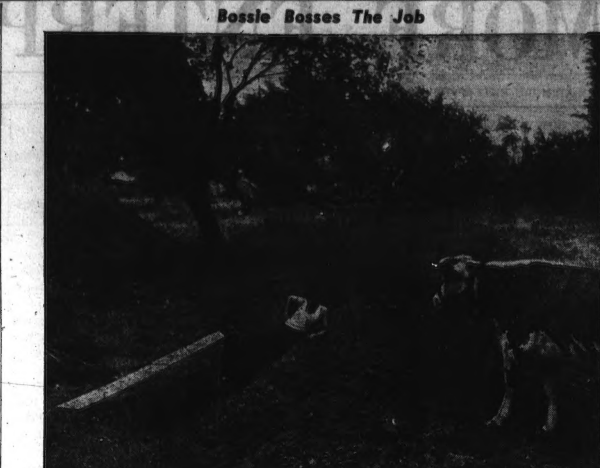
It was the hope of the founders of the original department of health that it would grow with the years and that every effort would be made to increase its scope and influence. There were times, especially in 1932 (when the federal venereal-disease grants were abolished) when it appeared that the department would disintegrate. However, with the advent of the Hagar report on health insurance, it was conceded that the department was entering on a new era of usefulness to the nation.

Public health men feared that the progress of 25 years would be undone, and they expressed alarm when it was proposed that health be placed under a department of social welfare instead of being given a place of its own in national affairs.

MOST POPULAR MUSIC

Works by British composers are especially popular among British and Canadian prisoners of war in Germany according to the requests received by Red Cross officials in England. Gilbert and Sullivan operettas and musical comedies such as "Desert Song" and "Rose Marie", and the English musical comedy hit, "The Dancing Years", have proven most popular.

Humming birds migrate 500 miles without a stop for food or rest.



With "Elsie the Cow" acting as foreman, Corporal Albert Lemoine, of Winnipeg and Leading Aircraftman Al Feuerberg of Vancouver, hack themselves a slit trench at their new Canadian airfield in France. The Royal Canadian Air Force men attempted to shoo "Elsie" away, but she obviously wasn't bilingual!

Firearms Control

Small Arms Should Be Kept Away From Children

Adults who own or have control over firearms also have a solemn obligation to keep them from children in whose hands they might be a menace to themselves and others. Tragic emphasis has been placed on this observation by a lengthy list of recent accidental shootings in this part of the province.

Even with the sale of ammunition subject to priority permits, there has been entirely too much shooting by boys in and around the city. A rifle and box of ammunition around the house are an ever-present temptation to a small boy; a simple admonition to leave them alone often isn't enough.

A .22 rifle is a highly lethal weapon and the carrying power of its ammunition might amaze many persons. It is not a toy. If you have firearms around the house, put them where young children cannot possibly get their hands on them.—Edmonton Journal.

Many Executed

Germans And Others Slain For Not Working In Bombed Areas

Travellers arriving from the Reich declare defeatists and persons refusing to work in bombed areas of Germany are being executed in considerable numbers.

One person, whose position made official Nazi records available to him, said that between June 8-15 a total of 741 Germans and foreign workers were put to death in the Munich region, about 500 in the Eissen area and about 1,500 in the Cologne district.

Has Good Record

Statistics Show Saskatchewan Had Fewest Juvenile Delinquency Convictions

The Dominion bureau of statistics said 53 juveniles per 10,000 of the population of ages seven to 16 were convicted of breaches of the law during 1943, of whom 33 were convicted of major offences and 20 for minor offences. Ontario led with a rate of 73 convictions, British Columbia second with 57, Prince Edward Island 52, Quebec 50, Nova Scotia 49, New Brunswick 49, Manitoba 37, Alberta 32 and Saskatchewan 28.

Now Hospital Ship

U.S. Navy Transport Henderson Has Been Renamed The Bountiful

The 10,000-ton Henderson, senior U.S. Navy transport, is at sea, transferred into a 500-bed floating hospital and renamed the Bountiful. The Henderson's service went back to the first World War. For much of the time since that war it made two round trips annually from Hampton Roads to Chinghaiwan, China. In the hospital personnel are fifteen medical officers, twenty-one Navy nurses, 150 hospital corpsmen, three hospital corps officers and three dental officers.

A cyclone generally travels at the rate of 20 miles or more an hour, while its tropical cousin, the hurricane, sometimes attains the velocity of 100 miles an hour.

Salvage Record

Million And A Half Tons Of Paper Collected In Britain

Almost a million and a half tons of waste paper have been collected for salvage in Britain since the war began, according to the British Information Service. And that's not all by any means. Approximately 42,924 tons of bones, 81,407 tons of rags, 945,189 tons of kitchen waste together with the waste paper, and large quantities of metal and rubber make up the total of three million tons of salvage.

It is interesting to compare the amount of salvage collected in Britain during December, 1943, the latest figures available, and the amount of salvage collected in the Dominion in that month. Britain with a population more than four times as great as Canada gathered together 76,723 tons of salvage during the month, whereas Canada salvaged during the same period, approximately 22,753 tons. If Canada's population were equal to Great Britain's and the amount of salvage proportionately increased, this would come to approximately 100,000 tons for the 31 days. No a bad record!

DOING BIG JOB

At the motive power terminals of the Canadian National Railways in Toronto 48 women have replaced men as wartime engine cleaners. They include a grandmother and a girl four feet 11 inches in height who claims the title of "smallest woman doing the biggest job in Canada."

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"Take it, dear, you know how you felt when Junior arrived."

REG'LAR FELLERS—Not So Dumb



SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JULY 16

SUCCESSORS AND FAILURES OF ISRAEL

Golden text: "Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people." Proverbs 14:34. Lesson: Judges 2:1-37. Devotional Reading: Psalm 138. Explanations and Comments

Scripture Words for Israel's Faithless new, Judges 2:1-5. The angel of Jehovah came up from Gilgal to Bochim. "Angel" means "messenger," but Judges 2:1, 42; 13:3, 21 show that he was thought of by the writer of Judges as Jehovah himself. Gilgal was the site near Jericho where the Israelites first encamped after crossing the Jordan. Bochim was probably in or near Bethel, for Bethel is given in its stead in the Septuagint Version.

God had kept his part of the covenant with the people, but they had failed to keep their part. Because they had sinned in adopting the false gods of the native peoples of the land, those gods should be a snare unto them, and the peoples as thorns in their side. On hearing this condemnation and coming judgment, the people lifted up their voices and wept. Therefore, they called the place where the message was given Bochim, Weepers.

Dr. Alexander MacLaren partially excuses the people for their lapses into idolatry by recalling that the revealing of the God had been but recently received and imperfectly assimilated, that its requirements of purity were most stringent. Moreover, because Joshua had died without a successor the tribes had been scattered, and much of the country was still in the hands of its earlier possessors, and it was extremely difficult to maintain any sort of unity. The conception of one sole God was too high to be easily retained. A shrine without a deity seemed bare and empty. The Law stringently bridled passions which the hideous worship of the Canaanites stimulated.

Metrospect: Allegiance to Jehovah under Joshua, Judges 2:6-10. As long as Joshua lived, and in the time of the elders who outlived him—the men who had seen the great deeds God had wrought for Israel—all the people served Jehovah. But Joshua died at the age of one hundred and ten, and was buried in the hill country of Ephraim, and all that generation died. The new generation that succeeded them knew not Jehovah nor did they know the work which he had wrought for Israel.

Now we are told that a livingroom 60 feet long will be ideal for the home of tomorrow. That should mean at last 15 years before the wife runs out of places where the davenport would look better.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Many of the 300 Canadian nurses assigned to the South African Military Nursing Service in 1941 are still on duty there.

In the 20 months since its first training class in August, 1942, the W.R.C.N.S. has reached a total enrollment of 4,770 by May, 1944.

Vancouver shipping authorities claim it costs 13 cents more to send a bushel of wheat to California than to China.

Alberta's 219 co-operatives did \$80,000,000 worth of business in 1943, according to the provincial department of co-operative activities.

Sir Samuel Hoar, ambassador to Spain, has been made a viscount, an announcement from Prime Minister Churchill's residence said.

John Peacock, director of egg supplies in the British Ministry of Food, told the Canadian Produce Association that "dried eggs have been an absolute Godsend to us."

The British Commonwealth Air Training Plan has almost 12,000 planes, more than 5,000 single-engine aircraft and nearly 6,000 twin-engined.

A tank was at sea in a landing craft off New Britain when several troop-landed Japanese barges were seen. The tank crew opened fire and sank one, and patrol boats sank others.

In Geneva, Switzerland, a special depot has been set up to arrange distribution of Canadian Legion Educational Service courses to all British prisoners of war in Germany, including those at the University level.

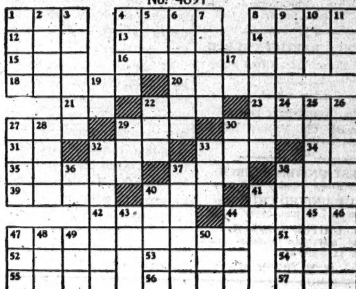
HAD REAL GRIEVANCE

Sometimes there is a pathetic difference in what is said by the "grown-up" and what is understood by the child. One mite, told to sit in his high chair "for the present," expressed his injured feelings at last by saying: "I have sat and sat, and have had no present!"

The "octane" was established as a basis of gasoline value in the first Great War. 2576

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No. 4891



- HORIZONTAL**
1. Sanken fence
 2. Grustacean
 3. Large container
 4. Stringed instrument
 5. Decoy
 6. To be mistaken
 7. Illiterate
 8. Great flow of water
 9. Insect
 10. Article
 11. Moderate general
 12. To drink excessively
 13. To append
 14. To respect
 15. Interjection
 16. Ancient pistol
 17. To ban
 18. Spanish for "yes"
 19. Pertaining to gold
 20. Convulsive breath
 21. Extinct bird
 22. Part of eye
 23. Division of drama
 24. Parent
 25. To shove
 26. To fret
 27. Wind instrument
 28. Greek letter
 29. South American armadillo
 30. Pronoun
 31. Lithuanian
 32. Winter vehicle
 33. Wing
 34. Egyptian diadem
 35. To throw
 36. A great wide space
 37. Latin poet
 38. Sheep
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 40. Dia
 41. To hurry
 42. Part of a circle
 43. Insect
 44. Sun god
 45. Preposition
 46. Concerning
 47. Spanish coin
 48. Silk worm
 49. Turkish regiment
 50. Sables
 51. Moccasin
 52. Throat
 53. To frolic
 54. Large fly
 55. Japanese measure
 56. Institution of learning
 57. Girl's name
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BY GENE BYRNES

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: The word "dog," forming the words sea dog, watch dog, hot dog and sun dog. Gopher snakes are valuable to farmers because of the great number of harmful rodents that go to make up their menu.

YOU MAKE THE FINEST BREAD!

I USE THE FINEST YEAST!

Makes delicious SATISFYING Bread!

No big holes! No doughy lumps! No sour taste!

7 OUT OF 8 CANADIAN WOMEN WHO USE DRY YEAST USE ROYAL!

ROYAL YEAST CAKES

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

Tomorrow Never Comes

By ALICE M. SNOW

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

Pamela Trevor, the small slight girl with the honey-colored hair, bent her head over her sewing while her cheeks grew pink and her fingers clenched on the needle.

Miss Jenny's Victorian parlor was the official place for the community club and now a few dozen women talked and sewed, and sighed while the sun coming through the trees inched along the rose-bordered carpet.

"Makes me sick!" Amanda Howe was apparently voicing some deep-seated conviction, for her eyes snapped and the set of her mouth forbade contradiction.

Miss Jenny glanced up mildly. "What does, Amanda?" "This business of young people rushing into marriage with selectees. It's absolute nonsense! There've been at least a dozen in this town. Sentimental, lovesick idiots, can't wait until tomorrow!"

Pamela glanced up sharply. The needle she was holding jerked her finger and she looked stiffly at the tiny drop of blood that came from the wound.

"It should be stopped," Amanda got up and it seemed to Pam that the hard eyes bored directly into her. Let her talk. Pam's lips tightened and the soft line of her chin grew severe. She rose from her chair.

"You—your old maid! How dare you speak like that? You sit there in the snug little nest of your own making and call those who live for today sentimental, lovesick idiots. I can tell you, Amanda Howe, tomorrow never comes!"

Pamela dropped her face. She walked to the door, shoulders quivering. "I'm sorry to act this way, but you goaded me into it. I want you all to know that I'm marrying Paul Freeman tonight." Her blue eyes shined with tears. "We're not having a wedding because we can't afford it, though I always dreamed of orange blossoms, a veil and people in a church happy for me—"

The door closed gently and for a moment no one spoke. Miss Jenny's face under the neat row of white curls was a study. Her fingers pleted and unpleated the folds of her calico skirt.

"Well, Amanda," she said finally. She was remembering a tall dark man and a younger Amanda who had said scornfully, "You can't make a living for yourself—and until you can don't come near me, Jed Howard."

Amanda Howe's face looked pinched but her shoulders lifted angrily. "I never in my life hear the likes of it!" This time the door slammed and the sound was like a sharp crack of thunder.

Four hours later the scene at Miss

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Exhibit Of Souvenirs In Aid Of The Merchant Navy

Etchings of London, loaned by L-Cpl. Joyce Harper and Cpl. Edna Maguire, formed an attractive background for the exhibit of souvenirs and curios held in aid of the Merchant Navy by an Overseas Company of the Canadian Women's Army Corps. Proceeds of the exhibit amounted to nearly three pounds (fifteen dollars) in three days.

Several places on display were the property of Cpl. Elizabeth Williams of Sydney Mines, N.S., an ardent collector of curios, and included an antique carved wooden spoon purchased in Aberystwyth, Wales, and a green pottery jug made by her during a pottery course sponsored by the Canadian Legion Educational Services.

A pair of Lancashire cloths contributed by Pte. Alice Ricker of Welland, Ont. attracted considerable interest, as did some antique brass pieces, the property of Pte. Kay MacLean, New Glasgow, N.S.

Other interesting exhibits included some gold leaf from the ceiling of St. Paul's Cathedral, pieces of Chinese carving in ivory, and a Greek oil lamp.

To Develop China

Canada May Profit By Post-War Reconstruction Program

China has drawn up an ambitious post-war reconstruction program into which Canada might fit as a supplier of goods which the Chinese themselves will be unable to produce in quantity for some years, it was learned here.

President Chiang Kai-shek recently outlined a tentative 10-year program calling in part for reconstruction or acquisition in that time of:

12,500 miles of railways; 141,000 miles of highways; harbors with a capacity for 100,000 tons; 3,000 locomotives; 451,570 passenger automobiles; 2,083,300 tons dead weight merchant shipping; 12,000 passenger planes; 10,000,000 houses; 82,100 hospitals; 18,000,000 radio sets.

The program also envisages extensive development of the country's Hydro-Electric power, its waterways and weaving industry.

The Mosquito Plane

Some Interesting Information About Its Construction

"Wood, glue and two engines," that's how the British Information Service describes a British "Mosquito."

Apart from its landing gear and engines, it contains no metal. It is built of wood bonded together with a plastic. The fuselage is made in two halves and stuck together. As they put it, "Any competent carpenter with a saw and chisel can effect major repairs."

A Mosquito can carry 2,000 pounds of bombs. It has a very long range and is so fast that it can draw away from most fighter opposition. The British have used it with great success as a night intruder and a "train-buster." Experts say that with a motor stopped it can go faster than a heavy bomber flying all out.

The moon revolves around the earth at a speed of 2,300 miles per hour.

Battle Of Weeds

They Compete With Crops For Water And Other Nutrients

The production of crops is largely a battle with weeds. Because weeds compete with crops for water, light, and the mineral nutrients found in the soil, the argument that a few more weeds cannot make any difference to the crops shows a lack of knowledge of the competition which the crops have to meet from weeds in infested fields, states the National Weed Committee. Many people accept such weeds as lamb's quarters and pigweed as a matter of course, but the amount of water required to produce one pound of lamb's quarters (dry weight) is very much greater than that needed for a pound of oats. Oats require 597 pounds of water to make one pound of dry matter, but one pound of lamb's quarters uses up 801 pounds of water.

In recent years, natural causes have led to at least a temporary reduction of weed infestation in various places. In some districts, the prevalence of grasshoppers has resulted in a decrease in the growth and vigour of sow thistle. A succession of dry seasons has been followed by less trouble from wild oats. Canada thistle, probably because of combined insect damage and dry seasons, has practically disappeared from areas where it was a great pest a few years ago. However, the opportunity for re-infestation through a change in conditions is a factor that has to be guarded against.

The roots of wild bindweed often penetrate to the depth of seven feet, sufficient food being stored in the roots to keep the weed alive, for two years. Concerning weed-damage to crops, the Field Husbandry Division, Dominion Experimental Farms Service, has found from experiments carried out at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, that the average loss to grain crops due to mustard over a period of five years was 12.7 per cent.

Rose Hips

Britain Harvests 500 Tons For Making Vitamin Syrup

Rose hips have always been a synonym for beauty. They can also stand for health. In the Old Country the gathering and making into syrup of the fleshy red fruit of the wild rose has provided substantial amounts of vitamin C for Britain's babies. In 1943, 2,500,000 bottles of rose hip syrup were made from the 500 ton harvest.

Rose hips are an extremely rich source of vitamin C, the food element which is in shortest supply in the Canadian diet.

The Nutrition Division of the Department of Postons and National Health advises making a mental note of the spots where wild roses bloom so that in the fall, their fruit may be gathered and made into health-growing syrup or jam.

JUST A DIVERSION

Less than 14 hours after he was on an operational flight over the Allied beachhead in France, Robin Allen, a sergeant engineer in the R.A.F., competed at a musical festival at his home in Devon, England, and won a silver challenge cup for solo singing. Then he returned to his flying.

Soviet Russia was the first country to train armed parachutists.

"RICKY" Draws The Beachhead



Flying Officer H. Rickard, cartoonist attached to the R.C.A.F. Public Relations unit overseas, has captured with his facile pencil the spirit of Canadians at war. Above he depicts the first landing by an R.C.A.F. aircraft on an as yet uncompleted beachhead airstrip. As "Ricky" pictures him, the young Spitfire pilot who has been battling in deadly seriousness with the Hun and has come down to refuel and rearm, is surprised—almost bewildered—by the ferocity with which the "servicing commandos" attack the job of putting his aircraft in shape to re-enter the fight—R.C.A.F. Cartoon.

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Secretary Of U.S. Navy Reminds Us Of Their Courage

James Forrestal, Secretary of the U.S. Navy, in an address at Princeton, said:

But let us never forget it was the little island of England in the summer of 1940 and in the hard and bitter months of 1941 that bore the full brunt of the German Luftwaffe and finally drove it out of the English skies. The pitifully small but gallant forces that England could spare for the campaigns in Greece, Crete and North Africa were decimated and battered, but never beaten. Let us not forget that although, as someone said to me in London, in that bleak winter of 1941 "there was no light in the tunnel of darkness," the fires of the English spirit never died.

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The Emperor of Abyssinia is to ask Britain to send to his country a number of English teachers to train native teachers for work in new "enlightened" schools which he is to establish as a result of his observations of our methods during his exile in England.

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UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMMISSION

The Dominion department of labor is to commence immediately a survey to secure advance information of the postwar employment situation in Canada. As a first step, it is proposed to canvass all establishments with 200 or more employees, excepting construction firms, governmental offices, national defence offices, crown companies and hospitals. Subsequent surveys will be extended to small employers.

The survey will be conducted by personal interview and questionnaire, and will be confidential. It will attempt to ascertain the factors which influence employment. The demobilization of the war economy and the length of the transition period have implication for the demobilization of the armed forces, vocational guidance and re-training of displaced workers and the planning and timing of public works.

Employers will be visited by a representative of the department of labor, who will request information, estimates and opinions relative to post-war employment. The first survey must be completed and questionnaires in regional offices by July 29th.

PIONEER FOOTHILLS' RANCHER RETIRES

Sixty years after first coming to Southern Alberta, Mr. Richard Lynch-Staunton, of Lundbreck, has retired from ranching and taken up residence in Pincher Creek.

One of a family of ten, the rancher is the only one left of his generation. Their mother was Canadian born and the family home was at Hamilton, Ontario. As a young man the father, Francis Lynch, came from Galloway in Ireland. Later Sir George Staunton, who was a cabinet minister in the Peel government, left his estate to the father of Francis Lynch, and the family name was changed to Lynch-Staunton.

At one time four of the sons of Francis Lynch-Staunton were in Southern Alberta. Albert joined the Royal North West Mounted Police when very young, and in 1877 came to Macleod. He was posted to Pincher Creek, where he was in charge of the horses at the police farm. Completing his term with the force, he took up land in the Pincher district, where his descendants still reside.

Another son, after a time in the West, returned home and later became a senator for Hamilton, Ontario. D'Arcy Lynch-Staunton, the third son, ranched near Pincher Creek from 1883 to 1893. Dick accompanied his father, a Dominion land surveyor, as far west as Medicine Hat in 1883. In 1886 he returned, proceeding to Pincher Creek to work on the near-by ranches.

Mr. "Dick" Lynch-Staunton recalls that, when he first came to the range-land, the Alberta ranch, the Few ranch, the Waldron ranch and the Osley were all operating. He remembers John Craig, author of "Ranching With Lords and Commons," and also knew most of the old timers mention-

ed in L. V. Kelly's "The Range Men." Fifty years ago Mr. Staunton went to the Nash ranch, on the North Fork, now operated by his son, Frank. In 1901 he moved over to the property adjoining it on the west and remained there until his retirement.

The Lynch-Staunton brand is "41," and at one time the "41" meat markets, run by the Staunton Brothers, were to be found all through the Crows' Nest Pass as far west as Fernie, B.C. Their herd varied from time to time, once numbering 3,000 head. Almost exclusively their cattle are now white faces, Herefords.

Mrs. R. Lynch-Staunton came west, part of the way by stage coach, to visit her brother, Tom Wilson, who was farming near Brockton. It was a big change for a girl brought up in Toronto, but before long she returned to Southern Alberta as a bride and has enjoyed her years in Southern Alberta.

In those days all trails led to Macleod. It was a real trip from the ranch country as there were no bridges and the rivers had to be forded. Once, when on route to attend a circus, Mrs. Staunton recalls that the rivers were in flood and the crossings perilous.

Both these pioneers well recall the Frank Slide. They heard the noise out at the ranch, but concluded that it was from blasting at the coal mines. Mr. Staunton had some stock to deliver to his meat market at Frank and set out. He was astounded to find his way blocked by fallen rock. He drove the cattle around the Slide and finally reached the town to find everything in confusion. His market was untouched.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Staunton drove some friends up to see the Slide and remained overnight at a hotel, their sleep broken by the rumbling of rocks still falling from Turtle Mountain. In speaking of Frank the couple also recalled a later visit, when they stopped at the Rocky Mountain Sanitarium, a luxury hotel featuring hot and cold sulphur baths.

Mr. Staunton stated that the Black-foot caused surprisingly little trouble to early ranchers apart from the occasional theft of a fat steer. When he first came to the country the summer costume of the young braves was a breech cloth. In winter the Indians, men and women, wore blankets and long skin leggings and moccasins.

The winter of 1886 was a hard one in the cattle country. That of 1896 was, if anything, worse. Heavy snow formed a crust through which the cattle could not reach the range grass, and there were no chinooks. This almost ruined the ranching industry in the south. Early ranchers put up little hay and the young men were too busy playing polo.

The first polo club in America was formed at Pincher Creek. Prominent on the polo field was the "tea house," said Mrs. Staunton, and here the ladies dispensed hospitality. A number of "remittance men" drifted into Southern Alberta, and with their ready cash and high spirits added to the joy of living.

After the Marquis of Lorne, Governor-General of Canada, had toured the West and returned to Ottawa, he encouraged his young friends, some who had served him as secretaries, to take up land in the Foothills. The Marquis was very much impressed with the possibilities of the Pincher country.

Among the noblemen coming into the country at this time were Lord Boyle and Sir Francis de Winton, recalled Mr. Staunton. Later Lord Boyle represented the rangeland in the legislature of the Northwest Territories at Regina.

At first there was no market for cattle on the western prairies. After the signing of Treaty Seven at Black-foot Crossing in 1877, and the retirement of the Indians to their reserves, the government bought beef for them. For some years beef had to be trailed from the North Fork to the railroad at Medicine Hat, a long way.

Mr. Staunton said that the first large shipment of cattle from the Pincher Creek area was loaded at

Gleichen. Later, when the CPR built the Calgary-Macleod branch, the North Fork cattle were loaded at Claresholm.

About the year 1880, a dozen or more of the near-by ranchers, among them the Staunton Brothers, were approached by an agent for the railway as to the feasibility of shipping their cattle to England. The Canadian Pacific guaranteed them a profit. Mr. A. Lynch-Staunton accompanied the shipment to the Old Country. This was the beginning of the overseas trade.

Speaking of the ranching industry which he has seen develop from a few head of cattle, through the "Great Days of Ranching" to a tremendous business of modern times, this long-time rancher remarked: "It has had its ups and downs, probably more downs than ups."

Their many friends in Southern Alberta wish Mr. and Mrs. "Dick" Staunton continued health and happiness in their sunset years. —By Freda Smith Mudman.

Edmonton now boasts of a population of 103,416.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lynch-Staunton have retired from ranching north of Lundbreck, and have taken up residence in Pincher Creek. Both are very well known throughout southern Alberta, having been residents for sixty years.

Mrs. G. Dau and son Bobby left by Thursday afternoon's train for Toronto, where they will join Mr. Dau and George in their new home at 170 Rusholme Road in Toronto. A large number of friends were at the depot to bid them farewell.

FOUR OF A KIND IN JASPER NATIONAL PARK, ALBERTA



During the summer of 1943 a black bear in Jasper National Park, Alberta, had four cubs—three brown and one black. Such an unusual occurrence created quite an attraction, not only for visitors, but also for the residents of Jasper. As soon as the cubs were big enough to come to town the mother bear proudly paraded them through the streets and down to the railway station, where travellers passing through Jasper could see them. The cubs quickly became accustomed to humans, who fed them countless chocolate bars, biscuits and other tidbits. Hundreds of feet of film were exposed showing the public feeding and petting the cubs and sometimes children rolling on the grass with them.

This summer these cute little "clowns of the forest" will have grown to good-sized and powerful bears. They will have become professional beggars, preferring the easy way of getting their food to the natural way of hunting for it in the forest. If sufficient food to their liking is not forthcoming when they require it, they will take it anyway. They will raid kitchen larders, basements, cars, tents and garbage cans. Complaints will be numerous and eventually the park warden will be asked to shoot these "cute little cubs" of 1943.

That is why visitors to the national parks are being urged to refrain from feeding or petting the bears. It is dangerous for the visitors and is usually fatal to the bears.

Palmira Togliatti, Communist minister without portfolio, at a mass meeting in Rome, called upon the Allies to furnish arms to thousands of Italian youths declaring that Italy can rise again only with weapons in

her fists in the armed struggle to kick out the Germans and destroy the last vestiges of Fascism.

Money doesn't go quite so far these days, but it stays away longer.

"The other day," writes Corp. Henshaw, of Pass Robles, "I had a three-day run, and with my wife visited San Francisco. She had wanted a portable typewriter, and we found one—a second-hand typewriter, but very acceptable."

"Perhaps you would be interested in the thank you letter which she wrote me on the machine, using the 'touch' system which she is just learning. It read:

"Dear,
"Thank you for getting this lovely or do I mean Lovely typewriter or type typewriter as some day I will be able to type but Oh! the time is not yet!"

The price of a shave has already gone up twenty-five cents in Saskatchewan. The barbers claim that due to the long faces now in style in that province, with certain politicians, they were forced to raise the prices because it took so much longer to shave them.

Ma and Mrs. W. L. Taylor, Muriel and Robert, left on Tuesday for Toronto and Detroit on holiday. Mr. Totten is relieving Mr. Taylor at the local CPR depot.

Announcement is made that Tim Buck, of Toronto, national leader of the Labor-Progressive party, will campaign in the Alberta general election.

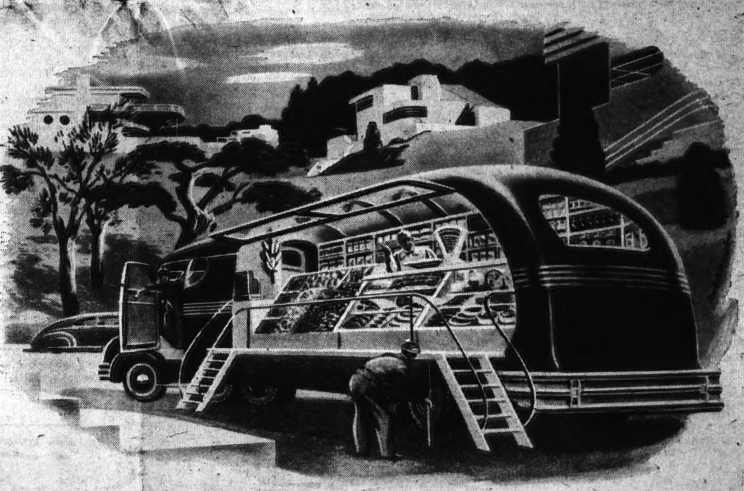
Jack Jeffries, of Nanton, has been chosen a CCF candidate.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Carnahan are spending stampede week in Calgary.

Sam Scott is spending the week with friends in the Creston district.

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• But only if we perform our appointed tasks today will there be a tomorrow to look forward to. There is a war to win first!...

• At no time in history have the people of a nation had so great a responsibility for the victory of their armies. It is everyone's war... everyone's job to keep up production, to cooperate in salvage and conservation programs, and above all, to help finance the war with their dollars by buying and keeping Victory Bonds and War Savings Certificates.

• Tomorrow is for us all! Let's work for it! Let us all be MEN WHO THINK OF TOMORROW!

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Bill and Jack went over last week, and Fred's been over there a year. Now it's my chance.

It's going to take months of training before I can get fighting-fit, so I'd better get moving today.

Yes sir! I'm going now, to tell Dad and Mom that I'm on my way to sign up.

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Predicts Heavy Wheat Crop For Western Canada

EDMONTON.—Trade Minister Jan. A. MacKinnon said in an interview on arrival here that western Canada will have a 500,000,000-bushel wheat crop this year if present prospects materialize. The 1943 wheat crop was 285,000,000 bushels.

The minister pointed out that July is an important crop month, and much will depend on weather conditions.

Approximately \$26,000,000 is being distributed to western farmers on participation certificates for the crop, Mr. MacKinnon said. Of this amount slightly more than \$10,000,000 is going to Alberta farmers, about \$13,000,000 to Saskatchewan, and \$3,000,000 to farmers in Manitoba. Cheques now are being mailed to farmers participating in the 1940 distribution, he added.

Creation of a wheat and grain division within the department of trade and commerce was announced by Mr. MacKinnon, here for a short vacation. This division, he said, "will keep under constant survey Canada's grain position with reference to supply, transportation, domestic and export demands."

"As chairman of the wheat committee of the cabinet, I am committed dealing with matters of grain policy. The director of the new wheat and grain division will serve as secretary of the wheat committee and as the department's liaison officer to the Canadian wheat board. The appointment of the director will be announced in the near future."

"This division will also serve as the department's procurement agency with regard to mutual aid purchases of wheat, flour and other cereal products."

ADVERSE WEATHER

Allied Fliers Hampered In Effort To Support Ground Troops

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force.—The supreme command would like to reverse the one-time plan of western farmers in North America for a "rain maker" and advertise for a "rain stopper."

Gen. Eisenhower's famed weather luck which held good for the North African, Sicilian and Italian campaigns has run out both ends of the barrel and his "luck" could be rubbed to induce good weather, have been worn water-thin.

The weather has cut down efforts of the Allied air forces to half their potential in support of ground troops.

Allied air activity over Normandy has been hardest hit by the adverse weather because flying usually has been better at night than in the day and most battle support must be down in daylight.

England and northern France had the driest spring and winter in 25 years but this has turned into the wettest summer.

Next to enemy resistance the weather is the most important factor in amphibious warfare, and it has been so bad that it is no exaggeration to say that only the fact that the western front invasion was on such a vast scale saved the Allies from a possible defeat.

MUST BE LIMITED

Licenses Issued Only For Essential House Construction This Year

OTTAWA.—Housing construction in Canada must be limited in 1944 by shortages of materials and labor. Lionel Chevrier, parliamentary assistant to Munitions Minister Howe, said in a statement made in the commons on behalf of Mr. Howe.

In a review of the construction situation, the statement said housing construction licenses were being issued only in areas where houses were required and within limits set by the expected availability of materials.

MANY JAPS KILLED

Allied Troops Account For Over 17,000 In Northern Burma

KANDY, Ceylon.—British, American and Chinese troops operating under the command of Gen. Stilwell in northern Burma have killed 17,700 Japanese troops and have taken 100 prisoners since they launched the campaign early this year.

U.S. and Chinese forces have combined to slay 12,000 Japanese, while Chinese troops alone have accounted for an additional 5,000, the announcement said.

Wren Stands Watch At Esquimalt



After training at the Royal Canadian Navy Signal Training Station, St. Hyacinthe, Que., Irene Cheshire of Looma, Alta., is one of fourteen Wrens to take over signal bridges at Royal Canadian Navy bases. At H.M.C.S. dockyard, Esquimalt, she stands 8-hour watches alone on the signal bridge receiving and relaying messages from ships to shore during the long, hard watches.

Water Supply Project Needed For The West

OTTAWA.—J. R. MacNicol (P.C., Toronto Davenport) declared in the House of Commons that the Dominion government should spend any amount of money required to provide an abundant water supply to Regina, Moose Jaw and adjacent municipalities.

"I have observed in much travel and study that the west has not had that which it should have," said Mr. MacNicol. "And I have in mind the fact that unless the west is at least given a chance to survive we eastern people can not progress."

He suggested Agriculture Minister Gardiner ask for any amount of money required for the project. A country could only progress if it had sufficient water. The southeastern part of Saskatchewan had great prospects, but its advancement was limited by the present water supply.

"The time has come when the federal government has got to do more in building great works in the west," said Mr. MacNicol.

In the east the federal government had spent many millions of dollars on canals and bridges. There could be no objection if it spent \$15,000,000 or \$20,000,000 on "an adequate, even a gigantic project" to give those two western cities an adequate supply of water.

"I am going to appeal to the minister (Mr. Gardiner) to come forward with a really big plan to bring water supply to those two cities," said Mr. MacNicol.

He suggested the cost be divided between the provincial government, the cities and the Dominion government. As the Dominion could borrow more cheaply than the provinces and the cities the Dominion should advance the whole amount required and allow the cities and the province to repay their shares later.

BARLEY KING DEAD

Alberta Man Became Famous And Carried Off Many Prizes

LETHBRIDGE, Alta.—Nick Taitinger, 83, internationally famous "barley king," is dead. He died at his farm in the Clearfork district. In 1914 his reputation as a barley grower had reached a Glasgow, Scotland, brewing firm, and they called him for a carload of his famous "French Chevalier" barley. In 1915 he carried off two first prizes in the Panama-Pacific exposition, one for his Marquis wheat and another for his malting barley.

The well known "barley king" took a prize at the Brewers and Malting exhibition in London, England, in 1923, the first time in 40 years the prize was awarded to a farmer outside of England. The following year he was awarded sixth prize for his barley at the Chicago International show.

RECRUITS FOR NAVY

WINNIPEG.—Navy Minister Angus Macdonald said here that naval recruiting needs are being sufficiently met. "We are getting a little more than 2,000 men each month," he said.

Flying Bombs Have Generated Feeling Of Hate

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND.—Germany's flying bombs have created something in this country—a quality of concerted hatred.

There has been hatred here for a long time but nothing like the almost unanimous spirit with which men and women in this sector of the country look skyward and say "the dirty blinks."

During the blitz, for instance, there existed at least a feeling under all the devastating destruction that there were enemy people up there who at least were running their chance with flak and fighters and balloon barrage cables. That wasn't something in which a nameless thing came at the land, its gardens and its people with no one along to take the consequences.

My own conversations with the people indicated the English now are hating as they have never hated before. . . people like the pretty telephoneist, going home after an all night shift after one of these bombs dropped . . . or a policeman, sighting one in the sky, then apologizing to a bystander woman for the language he had used.

A veteran Fleet street reporter who was through the blitz and practically everything else that has come at England in wartime, told me in all seriousness:—

"This has ended any chance the Germans have had that the sentimentality of the English people will save them at the peace table again."

Vatican City is foreign territory even to Romans, who must add extra postage to mail going over its borders.

Led Paratroop Attack



—Canadian Army Overseas Photo.
Lieut. S. W. McDowan, Winnipeg, Man., the first Canadian Paratroop assault infantry officer to drop down through the roof of France and Caen, leading the way for the now famous 6th Airborne Division in opening the Allied invasion of Europe.

TRYING OUT IDEA

Toronto Man Offers Used Airplanes In Exchange For Cars

TORONTO.—Latest sign to appear on a used car lot here offers to trade airplanes for automobiles.

It reads: "Aircraft for sale, Cub trainers. Take cars in trade." Murray Forfar, son of the operator of the lot and owner of the planes—two Cub aircraft—said, "I just want to try the idea out and see what interest there is in light aircraft."

"If my plan works out all right, I plan to go into the aircraft business later," said Murray, who recently was discharged from the R.C.A.F.

RELEASES LIFE RAFTS

OTTAWA.—Devices which will automatically release Carley floats and life rafts are being installed on ships of the Royal Canadian Navy, naval headquarters announced.

Canadian Navy Lent Assistance In The Invasion

ESQUIMALT, B.C.—Ten thousand Canadian sailors and 100 Canadian ships took part in the invasion of France, Navy Minister Angus Macdonald told a graduation class of 46 cadets from the Royal Canadian Naval college at Royal Roads near here.

The class was the first to complete the full two-year course for officers since the college opened in October, 1942.

The Royal Canadian Navy was doing "great and spectacular work," the minister said, pointing out that maintenance of Allied supply lines to Britain had made the invasion of the continent possible.

"The Atlantic campaign is over, but the war is not over," he said.

"The R.C.N. would play its part in the war against Japan when the power of Fascist Europe would be wiped out, he said. He hoped that after the war a "proper and adequate force" of naval strength would be maintained for defence.

"I believe that just so long as merchant ships ply the seas just so long will we need to protect them," he said. "And this should not be forgotten after this war with the Axis is finished. . . I hope that the people of Canada will remember the spectacular work of the navy, the army and the air force and will insist that all three be continued after the war."

WAS WELL KNOWN

Professor Buller, An Outstanding Botanist In Canada Is Dead

WINNIPEG.—Professor Arthur Henry Buller, 70, one of Canada's outstanding botanists, died here.

Dr. Buller was professor of botany at the University of Manitoba for 32 years and since his resignation in 1936 has been a professor emeritus.

He was president of the Royal Society of Canada in 1927 and was awarded the Flavelle medal in 1929. In 1937 the British Royal Society awarded him its royal medal. He held an honorary membership in the Indian Science congress and an honorary degree from the University of Calcutta.

DISLIKE WEAPON

German Soldiers Afraid Of Their Own Suicide Gun

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force.—German soldiers have a weapon they are afraid of themselves—a fast bazooka, which captured Nazis say is a "suicide gun". The pistol bazooka is loaded from the muzzle, cocked by hand and fired by pounding it with the flat. It looks like a piece of water pipe and fires a rocket grenade which has terrific power up to 50 yards according to Maj. John A. Keck, Greenburg, Pa. Keck said the reason Germans dislike it is because it can only be fired at close range and "Jerry doesn't like to fight at close range."

FIGHT PATRIOTS

French Underground Is Giving German Troops Plenty Of Trouble

LONDON.—German troops were reported to be pressing a large-scale drive in southwestern France in an effort to smash underground resistance, described by one French collaborationist source as "a real civil war directed from abroad."

Reports from the Spanish-French frontier, relayed here by way of Madrid, said the Germans had thrown tanks and bombers as well as infantry into their drive against French patriots in the Dordogne region of southwestern France.

EARLY ADJOURNMENT

OTTAWA.—Indications that parliament may end its present session earlier than has been generally anticipated were seen in reports that the budget debate in the commons will be brief and that the house will start morning sessions shortly.

SPEEDY SERVICE

LONDON.—Forty-eight hours after they had helped breach Hitler's west wall with a slam-bang barrage, men of the British, Canadian and American paravies were reading mail from home, ferried to the beachhead by two Royal Canadian Navy fleet mail officers.

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Lady Tweedsmuir Entertains R.C.A.F.



—R.C.A.F. Photo.
Studying at Oxford University in England during their hard-earned leave periods, a group of Canadian service-people recently were guests of Lady Tweedsmuir, widow of the former governor general of Canada. In the library of her charming home, Lady Tweedsmuir discussed many of the rare volumes collected by her husband, known simply as John Buchan to thousands of Canadians who have read his books. In the above picture, Lady Tweedsmuir is shown with, left, Flying Officer Harold D. Turvey, Brantford, Ont., and LAW Kay Lewis, Sarnia, Ont., right.

Landing On R.C.A.F. Field In Normandy



—R.C.A.F. Photo.
Servicing ground personnel for the first Canadian Fighter Unit to move into an airstrip in France were flown in by Dakota aircraft of the Transport Command, manned by mixed Royal Canadian Air Force and R.A.F. crews. Spitfires escorted the flight from England, across the channel to an airstrip in Normandy from which R.C.A.F. fighter squadrons have been operating since June 10th. This fully operational unit is under the command of Wing Commander M. Brown of Winnipeg, Man. The fighter squadrons are the Wolf Squadron, the City of Oshawa Squadron and the Red Indian Squadron. A giant Dakota of the Transport Command carrying ground personnel to man the new Canadian Airfields in France churns up the dust on a hastily constructed landing strip, somewhere in Normandy. The dust is worse than the desert, dangerous for flying and choking to the lungs. (Photo by FO. Cecil Southward, R.C.A.F. Public Relations Photographer in France).

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The easiest way to break a habit is to drop it.

Men, 30, 40, 50!
Want Normal Pop, Vim, Vigor?

The final death toll of the Barnum Bailey-Ringling Brothers circus tent fire reached 162. The big tent accommodated over 6,000 and had been water-proofed with a solution of gasoline and paraffin.

Local and General Items

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors, entertainers, parties, leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Phone items in to 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

Gardston rodeo and race meet will be held on July 19 and 20.

Plans are being made to reopen the Kent coal mine near Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hammer are on holiday to West Kootenay points.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vejprava are spending a brief holiday at the Pacific coast.

James Naylor, of Coleman, received word last week of the sudden death of a brother at the Pacific coast.

The attendance at the Calgary Stampede for the first two days was 6,000 greater than a year ago.

George Snood, of the Home Builders' Hardware, spent the early part of the week in Calgary, incidentally taking in the stampede.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Stievenard, recently returned from Nelson, have purchased the F. Gillain residence in southeast Blairmore.

President Roosevelt has announced that he will accept Democratic renomination and serve a fourth term if elected.

Canada will supply more than 70,000,000 pounds of salted, pickled and smoked fish to the United Nations from her 1944 production.

An amendment to the fisheries regulations provides a heavy penalty for anyone retaining in his possession a rainbow or bull trout measuring more than four feet in length.

Harvey Murphy, merchant at Frank in the early days, now of the Pacific coast, is visiting in Coleman this week with his sister, Mrs. James Naylor, and Mr. Naylor and family.

Byron Tanner, Lethbridge barrister and real estate dealer, has been named CCF candidate for the Lethbridge riding in the forthcoming provincial election.

Mrs. (Dr.) J. S. Hynes, the former Patsy Maloney, of Fredericton, New Brunswick, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Maloney, in Calgary for a week.

Lord Halifax, British ambassador to the United States and member of the British war cabinet, has been granted the title of Earl of Halifax. He was raised to the earldom in the King's birthday honor list.

A guy down in Saskatchewan is said to have suffered slight injury to a little finger. In the interest of workmen's compensation, he operated very successfully for some time on crutches.

Evil is a fact not to be explained away, but to be accepted; and accepted not to be endured, but conquered. It is a challenge neither to our reason nor our patience, but to our courage. — John Haynes Holmes.

According to an announcement in the July issue of The Country Guide by the United Grain Growers Limited, there are quite a number of shareholders who have changed their address and therefore have not received their dividend cheques. Some of them are in this district, including one each from Fernie, Burnis and Blairmore.

Mrs. James Silvers, near Strathclair, Manitoba, was electrocuted when she threw a pail of water on a grass fire in which a high voltage wire sent 35,000 volts through a broken telephone wire in the fire. A truck loaded with a grain separator had passed and caught the house phone wire, which, breaking, fell across the high tension wire of the district power line. The wire set fire to the house roof and Mrs. Silvers rushed out for help. Returning, she saw the grass fire and got a pail of water. The current followed up the water to her hands and she was fatally burned.

New bush fires have broken out in northern British Columbia.

Ft. Sgt. Albert Crowder has been transferred from Calgary to Sea Island on the Pacific coast.

Bob Edwards once said: A candidate is the only animal that goes out systematically to hunt for trouble.

Asked how old a person would be who was born in 1897, the sailor at the IQ exam replied: "Man or woman?"

R. Jackson, of Coleman, was last week sentenced to three months imprisonment for the attempted theft of gasoline.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderson, who had been visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Beebe for a few weeks, returned to Glendale, California, by Saturday night's train.

Pte. Wesley MacQuarrie, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacQuarrie, of Coleman, was reported killed in action on July 1st. He is survived by his parents, one brother now in England with the Canadian forces, and three sisters.

Pte. (Rev) Roy C. Taylor has secured an honorable discharge from the army after three years service. Mr. Taylor is now with his wife and family in Edmonton, and plans soon to visit friends in Southern Alberta. His two sons are serving with the RCAF, while Mrs. Taylor is nursing at the University hospital in Edmonton, and Betty is switchboard operator at the US army hospital in Edmonton.

The recent stampede sponsored by the Elks at Stettler, was attended by more than 10,000 people.

We have heard many a complimentary reference to the very readable appearance of Foodland's advertisement in our last issue.

A fatal accident occurred near Duncan, B.C., on July 1st, in which Dr. D. W. and Mrs. Davis lost their lives. The car met head-on with another. Dr. Davis was for nineteen years medical practitioner at Kimberley.

Word has been received that Walter Frasn, son of Henry Frasn, of Cowley, has been killed in action in Italy. This is the second Cowley boy lost in this war, the first being a nephew of Walter's, Air Gunner Reg. Labrie.

In mid-May a Canadian built Mosquito plane broke all former trans-Atlantic records. In crossing from Labrador to Northern Ireland, a distance of 2,200 miles, in six hours and 46 minutes, it broke the previous record by two hours and ten minutes.

During April more than 10,767,000 pounds of salvage were collected in Canada from voluntary salvage committees alone. Through other channels 197,618 tons of scrap iron and steel, and thousands of tons of essential war materials were collected and disposed of.

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A Message to Canadian Motorists

THE invasion of Europe has thrown a vast and critical burden upon the petroleum resources of the United Nations.

In the first eight days of the campaign alone Allied aircraft flew 56,000 sorties. Many thousands of oil-burning warships and landing barges are shuttling ceaselessly across the Channel. Tanks, trucks, jeeps, mobile artillery, ambulances, by the thousands, are in action.

The driving power behind all this activity is petroleum—gasoline and fuels drawn from a dwindling crude oil supply. But—there is only so much oil. If existing supplies are to prove adequate, the most stringent economy of gasoline and fuel oil must be practised here at home.

Canada is able to produce only 15% of her own gas and oil needs. The remainder must be imported from the common pool of the United Nations and the bulk of this is shipped here by tankers. Critical manpower is needed to produce our gasoline and oil. Precious lives and precious ships

must be risked to deliver it to our shores.

Invasions, and the difficulties of supply and transportation are not our only problems. Right here in Canada gas and oil are needed in enormous quantities for vital war purposes. The Commonwealth Air Training Plan has consumed as much as 548,000 gallons in a single day. Canada's Navy—expanded since war began from 15 ships to 650—consumes over 2,150,000 gallons every week. Army training, war plant operation, food production, essential trucking—all are huge consumers of gasoline and petroleum products.

Gasoline is ammunition—ammunition of which we have all too little. To waste a gallon of it is a crime against our fighting men.

Answering
Your Questions
about the
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How much gasoline was consumed during the 54 days of pre-invasion bombing? ... More than 200,000,000 gallons.
How much fuel oil does a battleship take in one refueling? ... Enough to heat an average house for 350 years.
How much fuel does one unarmoured division consume in every five miles of advance? ... 10,000 gallons.
How many gallons of petroleum products are required to supply the needs of 500,000 European invasion troops for a week? ... Over 25,000,000 gallons.

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